Alameda Sheriff's Office Use Of Force Report

Incident Entered By: Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards - **Assigned Investigator:** [Incident pending assignment]



Incident Details

Date Received Date of Occurrence Time of Occurrence

10319 16-020743

Date/Time Entered 12/3/2016 17:21

Incident Summary

*Vievu available: Yes

*Deputy using force: Deputy Edwards- Primary

*Total deputies using force: 1

*Report #16-020743

On 112516, about 2315 hours, deputies were involved in a vehicle pursuit. The pursuit ended, when the suspect crashed into vehicles. Upon arrival, the primary deputy advised the suspect had committed felony evading. Canine announcements were given, but the suspect continued to not comply. Canine Grizzly was deployed and apprehended the suspect. No staff injuries were sustained. Suspect was transported to Eden Medical Center and treated for his injuries, later transported to SRJ.

Incident Location

• 24254 Santa Clara Street, Hayward, CA 94544 - Location of Occurrence: Alameda County

Use of Force Specific Information

Reason for Use of Force Service Being Rendered

Resisting Arrest Vehicle pursuit

Weather Condition Lighting Condition Distance to Citizen

Clear vehicle spotlights > 25 feet

Citizen Injured Citizen Taken to Hospital Citizen Arrested

Yes Yes Yes

More than 1 Citizen Involved

No

Citizen's Build Citizen's Height
Medium 5'4" to 5'6"

Employee Assessment of Citizen Condition During Incident

Unknown Drugs

Employee(s) Injured Employee(s) Taken to Hospital

No No

Reporting/Involved Citizen Information

DOB: Race: Hispanic/Lat Ethnicity: Gender: Male

Address

Phone

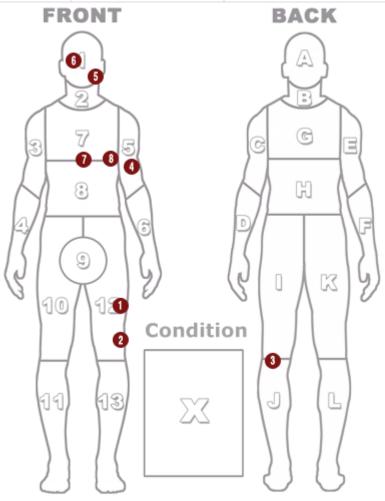
Role

Types of Resistance Citizen Used Against Employee(s)

- Unresponsive officer cmd
- Verbal Challenge

Injuries sustained by this citizen

| Injury | Regions | Injury Locations |
|--------------|-------------|------------------|
| canine bites | 1, 12, 5, J | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 |
| contusion | 1 | 6 |
| abrasion | 7 | 7, 8 |



Charges against this Citizen

- 10851 CVC Theft Automobile
- 23152 CVC DUI Alcohol/Drugs
- 148 PC Resisting Arrest
- 2800.2(a) CVC Evading a Pursuing Peace Officer
- 1203.2 PC Probation Violation

Involved Employees

Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards - ACSO\CORPUS:

Assignment at time of incident: Title: Deputy Sheriff II LES/Eden Township Substation/C-Team/Mids

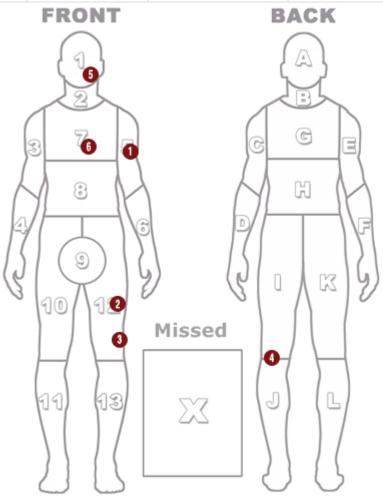
Video Footage: [No Response]

Role

Force used by this employee against the citizen

• K9 - Was force effective: Yes

| | Force Used | Effective? | Regions | Points of contact | |
|----|------------|------------|----------------|-------------------|--|
| K9 | | Yes | 1, 12, 5, 7, I | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 | |



Injuries sustained by this officer

| Injury | Regions | Injury Locations |
|------------------------------|---------|------------------|
| No injuries noted or visible | | |

Employee Witnesses

Deputy Sheriff II Michael Ella - ACSO\CORPUS:

Video Footage: [No Response]

Role Deputy Sheriff II Alberto-Andres Holmes - ACSO\CORPUS: Video Footage: [No Response] Role Deputy Sheriff II Melissa McNeil - ACSO\CORPUS: Video Footage: [No Response] Role **Deputy Sheriff II Daniel Murphy - ACSO\CORPUS:** Video Footage: [No Response] Role **Deputy Sheriff II Kernan Ng - ACSO\CORPUS:** Video Footage: [No Response] Role Deputy Sheriff II Thomas Sterling - ACSO\CORPUS: Video Footage: [No Response] **Role**

Tasks

No tasks to show

Running Sheet Entries

No running sheet entries to show

Attachments

No attachments

Assignment History

| Sent Dt | From | То |
|------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|
| 12/20/2016 | Secretary II Sylvia Thompson | (None Specified) |
| Assignment notes | | |
| Released back to | IAPro | |
| Email sent to receiver | | |
| No email sent | | |

Chain of Command History

| Routing #1 | |
|------------|-----------------------------------|
| Sent From: | Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
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| Sent To: | Sergeant Robert Young | |
|---|--|--|
| CC: | (none) | |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 6:13 PM | |
| Instructions from Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards to Sergeant Robert Young: | | |
| let me know if you want changes | | |
| Comments/Response from Sergeant Robert Young: | | |
| Comments: per conversation and correction | Comments: per conversation and corrections | |

| Routing #2 | |
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| Sent From: | Sergeant Robert Young |
| Sent To: | Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 6:37 PM |
| Instructions from Sergea | nnt Robert Young to Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards: |
| corrections needed | |
| Comments/Response fro | m Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards: |
| Comments: Let me know about other ch | nanges |

| Routing #3 | |
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| Sent From: | Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
| Sent To: | Sergeant Robert Young |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 6:55 PM |
| Instructions from Deput | y Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards to Sergeant Robert Young: |
| for review | |
| Comments/Response from | om Sergeant Robert Young: |
| Comments: Cap name of street | |

| Routing #4 | |
|--------------------------|--|
| Sent From: | Sergeant Robert Young |
| Sent To: | Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 7:00 PM |
| Instructions from Serges | ant Robert Young to Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards: |
| see corrections | |
| Comments/Response from | om Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards: |
| Comments: changes made | |

| Routing #5 | |
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| Sent From: | Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
| Sent To: | Sergeant Robert Young |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 7:08 PM |
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Instructions from Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards to Sergeant Robert Young:

for review

Comments/Response from Sergeant Robert Young:

Comments:

The probable cause for the contact was multiple vehicle code violations coupled with a short vehicle pursuit. The Use Of Force was prompted by the suspect's furtive hand movements and his failure to comply with lawful verbal orders. Several Vie Vu personal body cameras were activated during the Use Of Force and the cameras captured the incident. The apprehension was debriefed in the field and the following day in muster. Although the Use Of Force was in compliance with General Order 1.05 the following training issues were discussed. Radio Communication and the necessity to provide critical updates for inbound units. The importance of identifying and substantiating a Felony want under time constraints and pressure. Determining

why the suspect was not complying i.e. intoxication, possibility of an ambush, injury to the suspect, W&I 5150, combative behavior, resisting arrest or attempting to flee. Proper personnel and vehicle positioning for high risk car stops. Maximizing our ability to create tactical advantages and observe different angles. Sheriff's Office P&P 5.34 in regards to K-9 announcements and time of deployment. The availability of less lethal munitions and the requirement for utilizing them. Clearing vehicles high risk vehicles. Exigent circumstances vs officer safety.

| Routing #6 | |
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| Sent From: | Sergeant Robert Young |
| Sent To: | Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/3/2016 7:33 PM |
| Instructions from Sergeant Robert Young to Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa: | |
| please review | |
| Comments/Response from Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa: | |
| Comments: [Forwarded by Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa] | |

| Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa |
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| Division Commander Colby Staysa |
| (none) |
| 12/3/2016 9:57 PM |
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Instructions from Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa to Division Commander Colby Staysa:

for your review

Comments/Response from Division Commander Colby Staysa:

Comments:

This K-9 deployment was within General Order 1.05. There was a felony want, non-compliance, and K-9 advisement prior to deployment. However, I spoke with Sergeant Jones (K-9 Supervisor) regarding this deployment. I believe there were other options available to staff that were safe and less severe. I asked Sergeant Jones to retrain his K-9 handlers regarding the mindset of "I can deploy" versus "I should deploy". This was the K-9's first bite, which may have contributed to the deployment based on handler experience level.

| Routing #8 | | |
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| Sent From: | Division Commander Colby Staysa | |
| Sent To: | Division Commander Kelly Miles | |
| CC: | (none) | |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/15/2016 10:16 AM | |

Instructions from Division Commander Colby Staysa to Division Commander Kelly Miles:

For Approval

Comments/Response from Division Commander Kelly Miles:

Comments:

[Forwarded by Division Commander Kelly Miles]

| Routing #9 | |
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| Sent From: | Division Commander Kelly Miles |
| Sent To: | Retired Annuitant - Safety II Charles Nice |
| CC: | (none) |
| Sent Date/Time: | 12/15/2016 5:11 PM |

Instructions from Division Commander Kelly Miles to Retired Annuitant - Safety II Charles Nice:

For your review. Canine deployment of suspect who was involved in a pursuit and then collided with several parked vehicles. Suspect refused to follow directions of deputies at the end of pursuit and canine was deployed. UOF within policy but I concur with Captain Staysa's comments. Retraining recommended.

Comments/Response from Retired Annuitant - Safety II Charles Nice:

Comments:

Agree. I like the recommendations of Captain Staysa. Training will be implemented. I will discuss with Commander Amaral

| [Incident pending assignment] |
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| Chain of Command Signature Lines |
| Sergeant Robert Young |
| Deputy Sheriff II Jeffery Edwards |
| Lieutenant Anthony De Sousa |
| Division Commander Colby Staysa |
| Division Commander Kelly Miles |
| Retired Annuitant - Safety II Charles Nice |

Assigned Investigator Signature Line